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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND
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California. P. B. Wetherbee, Plaintiff, vs.
Nannie Wetherbee, Defendant.
Action brought in the Superior Court in
and for the County of Sonoma, State of
California, and the complaint filed in the
office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.
The People of the State of California
and greeting to Nannie Wetherbee, De-
fendant.
You are hereby notified to appear in an
action brought against you by the above-
named plaintiff, in the Superior Court, in
and for the said County of Sonoma, State
of California, and to answer the complaint
filed therein within ten days (exclusive of
the day of service) after the service on you
of this summons, if served within this
county; or, if served elsewhere, within
thirty days.
The said action is brought to obtain a
judgment and decree of this Court dissolv-
ing the bonds of matrimony now existing
between the plaintiff and the defendant
upon the grounds of adultery, all of which
will more fully appear from plaintiff's
complaint on file herein to which you are
hereby referred for other and further par-
ticulars.
And you are hereby notified that if you
fail to appear and answer the said com-
plaint, as above required, the said plaintiff
will apply to the Court for the relief de-
manded in the complaint.
Given under the hand and seal of the
Superior Court, in and for the said County
of Sonoma, State of California, this 13th day
of May, in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand eight hundred and ninety-six.
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An Occult Study of Rubies.

The ruby, as indeed every other gem, had its magical properties in those old times when occultism was an article of faith. The oriental ruby de-
fied both poison and the plague. Worn on the person or ground to powder and drunk as a drug it preserved the wearer and the swiftness from that ever pres-
ent danger of poison, that ever present fear of the plague. When misfortunes and evil days threatened the wearer, it lost its brilliancy and became sad and dark.

A learned German with an unpro-
nounceable name testifies to this. "On the 6th day of October, 1600 after the birth of Christ Jesus, as I was going with my beloved wife Catharine Adelmann (of pious memory), from Stuttgart to Cahen, I observed by the way that a very fine ruby which I wore mounted in a gold ring (the one which she had given me) lost repeatedly and each time almost completely its splen-
did color, and that it assumed a somber, blackish hue, which blackness lasted not one day, but several, so much so that, being greatly astonished, I drew the ring from my finger and put it into a casket. I also warned my wife that some evil followed her or me, the which I ascribed from the change of the ruby. And truly I was not deceived, for within a few days she was taken mortally sick. After her death the ruby resumed its pristine color and brilliancy." - New York Dispatch.

His "Sheer."

The distinction of being the richest and most man in the town in which he lived belonged to old Andy Semags. No one questioned his right to this honor when old Andy's wife died and he went to four different undertakers, trying to get them to make him a coffin for \$5 out of some worn eaten old black walnut boards he had kept in his barn for 20 years "for that very purpose," as he admitted.

When he was worth over \$150,000, a committee went to him to solicit some-
thing for a widow with six little chil-
dren who had been burned out of house and home and who had not a penny in the world nor a change of clothing for her children or herself.

"In dreadful sorry for her," said old Andy, "I'm afraid, and I agree with you that it's right for her friends and neighbors to help her out. I'll do my sheer, gentlemen; I'll do my sheer."

He was making his usual five or six tons of maple sugar at the time, and after a few moments' reflection, he said: "I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll send her over two quarts of maple sirup if she'll be sure to send back the jar. I'll have to put it in. I think that'll be 'bout my sheer, gentlemen." - Detroit Free Press.

Scorching and Reading.

The man who gets into trouble in his newspaper on the street cars that he is oblivious to women who stand and men who climb over him has not endeared himself to his kind; but Kansas City has produced even a greater nuisance in a bicyclist who reads as he rides. It would seem to the casual observer that the bicycle offered sufficient advantages to inflict or receive accidents even when the rider kept his eyes open and his wits alert. This rider is described as going scorching along with his attention apparently absorbed by what he is reading, while terrified pedestrians climb the tele-
phone poles and seek such other places of safety as they can find. A few days ago another rider followed him, hoping to be in at the death; but the literary bicyclist rode on, reading congenial tales of battle, murder and sudden death, until he turned down a quiet street, where he folded his paper, put it in his pocket and coasted safely into his own yard. - New Orleans Picayune.

George Francis Train's Peculiarities.

George Francis Train's hair is a little whiter and his eccentricities a little more pronounced, and he has even in-
creased the size of the bouquet that he wears pinned to the lapel of his white coat. He is the most picturesque char-
acter to be found in Madison square, New York, on a warm day. It was a good many years ago when George Francis Train announced his determina-
tion to shake hands no more and ex-
pressed the opinion that the friendship of children was worth more than that of their elders. He has cultivated the acquaintance of the children who play in Madison square, and every one of them knows him to be a good fellow. People who see him regularly have come to look upon his eccentricities with little interest, but he is one of the sights of Broadway to visitors who know anything about his career. He is not averse to notoriety and willingly talks with any one who addresses him. - New York Letter.

The Largest Described Snake.

Speke, in his narrative of the journey to the source of the Nile, describes the largest snake that has ever been seen by man. "I shuddered," he says, "as I looked upon the effect of his tremendous dying strength. For yards around where he lay grass, bushes and saplings - in fact, everything except full grown trees - were cut clean off, as if they had been trimmed with an immense scythe. The monster, when measured, was 51 feet 2 1/2 inches in extreme length, while around the thickest portions of its body the girth was nearly 3 feet."

A World Out of Joint.

A poor devil tells his latest misadven-
ture: "I had had nothing to eat for two days. In despair I threw myself into the Seine. A sailor fishes me out. Well, they gave me \$5 to my rescuer and nothing to me." - Figaro.

Men are often capable of greater

things than they are given credit for. They are sent into the world with bills of credit and seldom draw to their full extent. - Walpole.

The brain of woman is absolutely

smaller than that of man, but is stated to be somewhat larger in proportion to the weight of the body.

White Brook Trout.

Did you ever see a white brook trout - milk white save for the delicate traceries of his just perceptible spots and for the crimson tipped fins below? It is not likely you ever did, unless you have stood where I stood some time ago and looked down into the fish hatchery ponds and tanks, where I saw more than 2,000 of these white trout in one long tank and perhaps 100 larger ones in a grass fringed pond outside of the hatchery walls. The white brook trout is a freak of nature, but a most beauti-
ful fish, and if his race is to be perpetu-
ated, as seems probable, a rare addition will be made to the brooks.

One day when a workman in the state fish hatchery near this city chance to see two little trout, pure white and perfectly formed, darting around among thousands of others at the bottom of the gravelly tank, he made up his mind he would see if they could not be kept alive separate from the rest and raised to mature fishhood. He succeeded better than he had anticipated, and there are 2,000 progeny of this fruitful pair. The only obstacle which seems to be in the way of their becoming a popular addition to the trout streams is their ab-
normal shyness, a shyness which seems to amount almost to shamefacedness. Of course, the average brook trout is one of the cutest of the whole finny tribe and not overanxious at any time to show himself, but these white trout are strangely averse to publicity, so to speak. - St. Paul Letter in Chicago Record.

Almost a Tragedy.

The car stopped at Hladsky avenue to allow a big, pompous looking man to get on. There was but one seat in the car that was not occupied by a passenger, and that was filled by an enormous bundle, beside which sat a little quiet looking man reading a copy of The Windmill.

"I want that seat," remarked the big man abruptly.

"All right," responded the little one. "Why don't you take it?"

"Well, take that bundle out of it," growled the other.

"Guess not," sentimentally remarked the man in the seat.

Whereupon the seeker for a seat called the conductor, who informed the little man that if he did not at once remove the bundle he would be thrown out into the street.

"All right," said he. "Fire away!"

The big man and the conductor seized him and were about to push him through the door when a man sitting opposite, looking on at the situation, looked up and said:

"Oh, I beg pardon, that's my bundle. Did you want it removed?"

Then the little one wondered how much he would have recovered in a damage suit if he had been thrown off the car, and the big man sat down while his collar wilted and turned over half way around his neck. - West Medford Windmill.

The Town's Crooked Dividing Line.

"There is a reason for most every-
thing," said a Cumberland county man when he was asked how in the world they came to have such a crooked line between two towns in his county.

"There's a reason for this crooked line. You see, some of our towns established in pioneer times, when land was abun-
dant and people were few, had a big ter-
ritory, which was afterward sliced off to make new towns. It was so in the case you mention, and when the cut off was made people along the line of di-
vision were of different minds as to which town they wanted to be in. So the legislature drew a straight line be-
tween the two parts and then provided that persons dwelling on lands adjoining either side of this line might be in one town or the other, as they should decide within 90 days after passing the act. Some went one way and some the other, and the line was all skewed up to accommodate them." - Lewiston Journal.

A Horse Tale.

There are some people who will not believe in the existence of a horse which takes the end of a hose pipe in his mouth and holds it there until his thirst is quenched, but it is said to be a fact. The horse is owned by F. S. Brown of Ansonia, Conn., and the horse is stabled at Curtis' livery barn. It was several days ago that one of the stablemen, while fooling with him, offered him the end of the hose pipe, through which the water was flowing, and to his surprise, the horse took it in his mouth and held it there until he had a good drink. The next time the horse was led to the trough he of his own accord took hold of the pipe and succeeded in getting the end in his mouth and had a good drink and continues to do so day after day. - Boston Herald.

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From U.S. Journal of Medicine
Prof. W. H. FEEKE, who makes a specialty of Epilepsy, has without doubt treated and cured more cases than any living Physician; his success is astonishing. We have heard of cases of 30 years' standing cured by him. He publishes valuable work on this disease, which he sends with a large bottle of his absolute cure, free to any sufferer who may send their P. O. and Express address. We advise any one wishing a cure to address Prof. W. H. FEEKE, F. D., 4 Cedar St., New York

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SONOMA, AUGUST 15, 1896.

"A LITTLE TOO PREVIOUS"

A correspondent signing himself "Citizen," wants facts and figures in regard to bonding the town for a municipal water works system, and calls upon the editor of the INDEX-TRIBUNE to furnish the same. If "Citizen," who is evidently opposed to bonding the town on general principles, will just "keep his shirt on" and quit kicking until he has something to kick about we assure him that before the water proposition is submitted to the voters the Board of City Trustees will make known the actual cost of the works and income to be derived from the same. At the present time the Board is hard at work on the water problem. They have engaged the services of a competent civil engineer to assist them in their labors. When they shall have secured their estimates and decided upon some one of the several propositions that have presented themselves it will then be in order to publish "facts and figures." "Citizen" is evidently one of those fellows that is always getting the "cart before the horse." Most certainly in this case he is a little too previous.

THE ARENIC GIANTS STRIKE HANDS.

The Great Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Famous Shows Colossally United.

After all, the reports of the conjunction of those great luminaries of the circus business, J. A. Bailey and Ephraim, Lewis and Peter Sells, which was at first laughed down the wind as Dame Rumor's most preposterous fake, turns out to be true, and based upon a consolidation of such vast proportions, possibilities and resources as to astound old-time and ordinary managers, justify immense anticipations and suggest far-reaching revolutionary effects in the tented field. To this tremendous consolidation of will, beasts, arenic features, spectacular displays, horses, tents, cars, and what not, Mr. Bailey contributes the original and famous Adam Forepaugh menagerie and circus, which he purchased when sold as provided for in its founder's and sole proprietor's will. The Sells Brothers, on their part, add their entire arenic resources, as represented in their enormous united railroad shows, which have achieved popularity and success in both the widest domestic and foreign fields. The result is an overwhelming and unparalleled aggregation, backed up by ample capital, and directed by the most capable, sagacious, and enterprising proprietors and managers in the business. The giants, instead of distracting and wasting their energies in unprofitable opposition, strike hands to give the public double what either has heretofore offered, and yet at the same price of admission heretofore charged by each—a wise and generous policy, inuring greatly to the advantage and pleasure of every patron, which means pretty much everybody. These great united shows, collectively forming the most stupendous and complete exhibition of the kind on earth, are to appear for the first time in Santa Rosa on Saturday, August 29th. We shall refer to some of the many most notable attractions later. Meantime prepare yourself to attend and participate in a genuine elephantine symposium of wonder, exhilaration and delight.

Pure Blood

Blood means sound health. With pure, rich, healthy blood, the stomach and digestive organs will be vigorous, and there will be no dyspepsia. Rheumatism and Neuralgia will be unknown. Scrofula and Salt Rheum will disappear. With pure

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The Board of Supervisors.

The Board of Supervisors of Sonoma County met in regular monthly session at the Court House in Santa Rosa Monday, August 3d.

Messrs. E. D. Sweetzer, M. Braugher, W. S. Finley, G. R. Camp and G. N. Whittaker of the Sonoma County Horticultural Society addressed the Board in the afternoon on the matter of replenishing the exhibit of Sonoma county products in Santa Rosa and San Francisco and asked the Board to make an appropriation towards it.

TUESDAY.

The Board met in adjourned session Tuesday.

Mrs. Kate Schneider, an inmate of the county hospital, was allowed \$10 out of the indigent fund. The usual monthly allowances out of this fund were also made.

County Assessor M. V. Vanderhoof applied for a leave of absence from the State for 60 days from August 25th, which was granted.

The road bills of Commissioner Hayden for \$267, \$129, \$256.67, and of Commissioner Gray for \$110.68, \$32.15, \$76, \$114.79, \$30.13 were approved.

The office of poundmaster of Duncan's Mills pound district was declared vacant. The resignation of George M. Bosworth as constable of Washington township was accepted and the office declared vacant, and the same action was taken in the case of Poundmaster J. F. Elphick, of Vallejo district.

Commissioner Joost's road bills for \$212.65, \$129.55, \$49.05, \$25.73 and of Commissioner Thompson for \$308.89, \$36.70, \$178.94 were approved.

The bills of J. P. Fitts for the sum of \$264.94 and the Healdsburg Lumber Co. for \$39.94 for lumber used on the Healdsburg bridge, together with a large number of other bills, were passed.

WEDNESDAY.

The Board met at 9 o'clock, pursuant to adjournment, all members present.

The bill of Charles Fox for \$71.25 for three years insurance on the Guerneville bridge was allowed.

The Board was addressed at some length by W. N. Griswold, who had petitioned the Board for a franchise for an electric railway to be run on the main county road between Santa Rosa and Sonoma via Glen Ellen. He has now filed an amended petition and also asks for a franchise over the roads leading to Petaluma via Sebastopol, the road to Duncan's Mills via Guerneville and to Healdsburg through Alexander Valley to the Napa line; also from Sonoma to the Napa line.

No definite action, however, was taken by the Board and they will hear further discussion before the petition is granted.

On petition of J. M. Sullivan, J. W. Wiley and W. D. Ross were appointed directors of Gilliam Cemetery.

The office of poundmaster of Sebastopol pound district was declared vacant and James W. Kelley was appointed to fill the vacancy.

The road bills of J. W. Hall were allowed as follows: Santa Rosa District, \$274.13; Fulton, \$296.31; Russian River, \$141.60.

The County Treasurer's report to the Board of Supervisors shows: Balance on hand June 30th, \$153,591.02; Receipts for the month, \$38,783.37; Total, \$192,374.39; Expenditures for July, \$20,462.75; Balance on hand August 1st, \$167,911.64.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Andrew Price was appointed Sonoma county committeeman of the State Board of Trade. His duties are to gather and ship suitable exhibits. No compensation was allowed.

The Clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of a bridge over Schell Creek, near Schellville, on the new road running through the Schell estate. Bids will be received up to noon September 10th.

H. A. Richardson was allowed \$50 for lumber furnished for the Clipper bridge.

GLEN ELLEN ITEMS.

Wm. Wyatt was in town last Sunday visiting friends.

C. N. Cheney and A. E. Leech were in town last Friday evening.

Miss Mabel Harper has left for Santa Rosa, where she will reside in the future.

N. Gallard of Kenwood thrashed 573 sacks of black oats off of 14 acres of land one day this week.

There is considerable talk of having a Rose Carnival in May, 1897. Several Queens have already been chosen.

Mrs. Coppin and Mrs. Leibert, two expert lady fishers, caught eight trout in Sonoma Creek last evening that weighed 3 1/2 pounds.

Jas. Pieratt has returned from Sugar Loaf Mountain, Napa county. He did not bag that "bar," but succeeded in killing several bucks, from spike up to a five-pointer.

James Gibson is busy putting in a pump at the Bacoa ranch. The well is 104 feet deep and Jim says when you are at the bottom of it you can see both stars and moon in broad day light.

REMINENT. Glen Ellen, August 13th, 1896.

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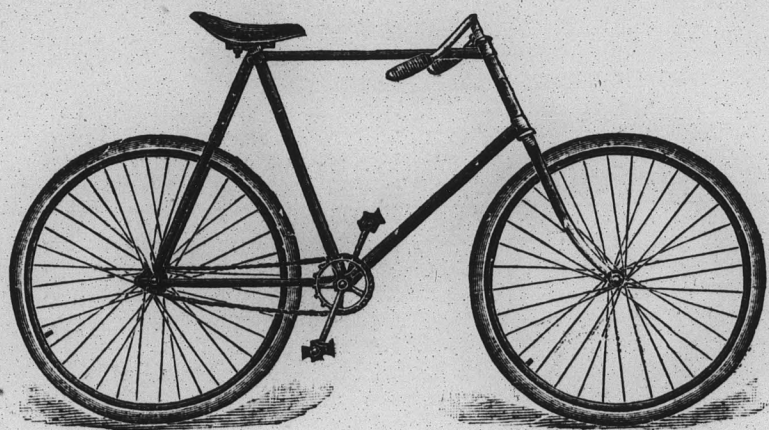
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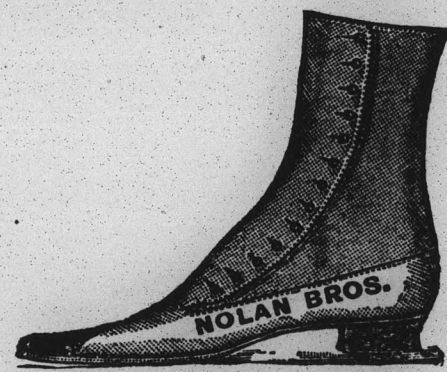
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SONOMA, AUGUST 15, 1896.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY.

Meeting of Citizens Next Saturday.

At the meeting of citizens, held at Weyl's Hall last Saturday, to discuss a trolley railway from Sonoma to Santa Rosa, Mr. Griswold, one of the projectors, reported progress.

The matter of granting a franchise is still in the hands of the Board of Supervisors, who will take definite action at their regular monthly meeting in September.

The projectors, it is understood, will be ready at that time to give a heavy bond guaranteeing the completion and operation of the road inside of eighteen months.

There will be another meeting of those interested in the project at Weyl's Hall next Saturday.

Water Question.

Messrs. Von Geldern and Gornsky, civil engineers, came up from San Francisco on Wednesday evening last to investigate the various water supplies in and adjacent to town. The Vallejo water works were visited Thursday and the Lawrence artesian well and underground reservoir were inspected yesterday. The engineers were accompanied by Trustees Seipp, Hartin and Bulotti, the committee appointed by the City Trustees to inquire into the matter of bonding the town for a municipal water works system. After a thorough investigation into the various water supplies Messrs. Von Geldern and Gornsky will prepare an elaborate estimate of the cost of each. Mr. Gornsky constructed the Vallejo City water works several years ago and has had a great deal of experience with similar projects.

Installation and Banquet.

On Thursday evening last Mrs. E. Willis of Calistoga, District Deputy, assisted by acting Grand Marshal, Jas. H. Albertson, installed the following officers of Verdant Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 99, I. O. O. F.: Miss Effie McCaskey, N. G.; Miss Margie Linehan, V. G.; Miss Clara Cheney, Secretary; Mrs. J. M. Cheney, Financial Secretary; Mrs. H. C. Culbertson, Treasurer; J. Wagon, Conductor; Mrs. Wm. Durant, Warden; Mrs. A. J. Van Dery, Chaplain. After the installation the members and their guest sat down to a sumptuous banquet prepared by the lady members of the order.

A Bryan Free Silver Club.

The Democrats, not to be outdone by the Republicans, who have a McKinley and Hobart Club in this place numbering one hundred members, are engaged in organizing a Bryan Free Silver Club. Hon. Robt. Howe, who is taking an active part in the movement, says that when he secures the names of 150 voters the club will be organized and prepared to whom he will offer for the Democratic Presidential nominee.

Last Man to Register.

Chess Ruffner, well-known to the people of Sonoma, where he spent his boyhood days, and who has returned to this county after an absence of several years, was the last man to register in County Clerk Fulton's office last Monday night. Mr. Ruffner has been in the newspaper business in Tulare county the past two or three years, but had to leave on account of the climate. He says there is no place like Sonoma after all.

Will Not be Cited.

The State Board of Equalization in session in Sacramento the past week decided not to cite Sonoma county to appear before its members to show cause why her assessment should not be raised. This will be good news to our tax-payers, who are nearly taxed out of their last year.

Foreclosure Proceedings.

The Santa Rosa Bank has commenced proceedings against Fred K. A. Schell, to foreclose the Schell ranch to recover the sum of \$3,750.

If the care of the hair were made a part of a lady's education, we should not see so many gray heads, and these of Hall's Hair Renewer would be unnecessary.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

A Five-Year-Old Girl Shot and Instantly Killed.

On Sunday last the little five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grosskopf, residing in the mountains five or six miles north of this place, was accidentally shot and killed by her ten-year-old brother. The report of the sad accident reached town shortly after it happened. It appears that the father had just shot a chicken with a shot gun. He laid the gun down and went to get the fowl when the lad picked up the gun, which slipped from his hands and was accidentally discharged. The little girl happened to be in range of the weapon and the charge of shot entered the neck and left shoulder, killing her instantly.

Coroner Young held an inquest Monday, the jury bringing in a verdict of accidental death.

HORSE VS. BICYCLE.

They Come Together With a Crash—Narrow Escape of a Young Lady.

On Wednesday evening last as Miss Maggie Church, who was riding a bicycle, approached the Postoffice corner, she collided with a horse ridden by another young lady. The bicycle and equine came together with a crash. Miss Church was thrown violently to the ground, but strange to relate escaped with a few slight bruises. The bicycle, however, was somewhat cut about the legs. It was a most miraculous escape for Miss Church and those who witnessed the accident expected to see her badly maimed if not killed.

An Old Timer.

J. W. Mast, who left Sonoma for Arkansas over twenty-two years ago, was in town last Tuesday. He was accompanied by his wife and married daughter, Mrs. Bowyer of Lexington, Ky. Years ago Mr. Mast was engaged in the saddlery business in this town and is well known to all old residents. During his long absence there has been changes in Sonoma, and many of his old-time friends have passed away. When he lived here Jerry Linehan was the richest man in town, but owing to reverses in fortune his wealth long since fled. Geo. Breitenbach, our village saddler, and G. S. Harris, proprietor of the Union Livery Stables, were in swaddling clothes, and Jas. Albertson was the dandy of the town. Mr. and Mrs. Mast, after spending a few pleasant hours among their old-time friends, left on the afternoon train for San Francisco.

Favors Bonding the Town.

C. F. Leiding of Oakland, and the owner of the Union and Toscana Hotels and other property in this place, was in town several days this week. He is a strong advocate for bonding the town for a municipal water works system and is high in his praise of the present Board of City Trustees for their efforts in that direction. It is needless to say that Mr. Leiding, who is a shrewd business man, knows what he is talking about when he says that those in this community who are against the proposition are standing in their own light. During his stay in town he won over a number of converts to his way of thinking.

Dear Near Town.

On Sunday last Wm. Harman and Geo. Steiger while out hunting near the Steiger farm, a few miles northwest of town, came suddenly upon five deer. Harman succeeded in killing one of them, a fine large buck weighing about 128 pounds. He also crippled two others. The deer were jumped up within a few hundred yards of the county road.

Santa Rosa Business College.

On September 1st this most excellent institution begins its sixth year with most flattering prospects. Last year there were nearly forty graduates, many of whom are now holding responsible and lucrative positions. Every young man and young woman who expects to succeed in a business career should take a course at the Santa Rosa Business College.

Nearly as Big as a Cannon Ball.

We have a peach upon our table this week, raised on Geo. O. Campbell's place, that measures twelve inches in circumference one way and ten inches the other. This peach is nearly as big as a six-pound cannon ball.

The Sonoma House is conducted as a first-class hotel by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stein.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Capt. Oliver Has Her Left Shoulder Fractured.

On Sunday last while Capt. and Mrs. Oliver, and their ten-year-old son Harold, were driving to the El Verano depot the cart in which they were riding struck a large rock lying at the northwest corner of the depot platform, overturning the vehicle and throwing the occupants violently to the ground. Mrs. Oliver had her left shoulder fractured and Capt. Oliver was badly bruised about the face and body. The boy escaped without a scratch. Mrs. Oliver is under the care of Dr. Davis, and, considering the nature of her injury, is getting along as well as could be expected.

THE GREAT REGISTER.

It Will Contain About 9,000 Names.

At 12 o'clock Monday night registration of voters closed and up to the time the County Clerk has received 8,450 names. It is estimated by him, however, that his deputies in different parts of the county will send in between 500 and 600 names more, taken by them in the last few days. This will swell the grand total to about 9,000.

The register of 1894 contained 9113 names, but the 1894 register contained all the names that were on the register of 1892, and it is estimated that about 700 names were carried forward of people that were either dead or had moved away, thus making the registration much larger than the actual number of voters, whereas this year's register will contain the names of only those who have registered since the cancellation of the old one a few months ago.

Between 500 and 600 registrations were received at the County Clerk's office on the last day. Democrat.

Debating Society.

The students of the High School have organized a debating society with Malcolm Elliott as President and Stewart Elliott as Secretary. The first debate of the new society will take place next Friday. The subject will be: "Resolved, that praise and honor are the chief aims in life." The affirmative will be debated by Miss Sara Cady and C. D. Clawson and the negative will be argued by D. Gordenker.

A number of High School students and their friends will drive to Napa Soda Springs next Saturday. The party is to be chaperoned by Mrs. Lucia Walliser.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

DEPARTMENT ONE—DOUGHERTY J. People vs. F. H. Starke—Continued.

Davis vs. Hungren & Anderson—Continued to August 31st.

B. W. Guerink vs. Petaluma—Dropped from calendar.

Duncan's Mills Land and Lumber Co. vs. Jos. Sutherland—Cost fixed at \$138.40 by stipulation.

In the matter of the application of J. L. Walker for a writ of habeas corpus—Continued to August 17th.

People vs. Don Wheelan—Return of justice of the peace opened, demurrer filed, court refused to hear demurrer.

Martha Watriss vs. W. D. Queen—Continued.

De Benardi vs. Pietro Cheda et al.—Demurrer overruled; 10 days to answer.

L. Page, insolvent—Petition for discharge of receiver granted.

Estate of H. R. Fowler—Continued to August 31st.

Estate of O. W. Craig—Continued to August 17th.

Estate of Wm. Bihler—Will admitted; O. Stengel appointed executor, no bond.

Estate of Anton B. Faio—Will admitted; Francis Brown Faio appointed executor, no bond.

Estate of W. B. Higgins—Final account settled, petition for discharge granted.

Estate of Peter Sigrist—Jos. Budge appointed administrator, bond \$13,000.

Estate of D. W. Johnson—Petition to sell personal property granted.

Estate of August Schenck—Continued to August 17th.

Estate and guardianship of Nelina Walker—Continued to August 17th.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

(Contributed by Marjorie Dow.)

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office and will be edited by Marjorie Dow.

Miss Margaret Broderick, after a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. Green, returned to her home in the metropolis last Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Cheney drove over to Petaluma last Tuesday to spend the day with relatives.

Miss V. Schilling of Schellville and Mr. Ernest Arbogast of San Francisco will be married to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock in the Congregational Church by Rev. C. E. Chase. Miss Schilling is a sister of Mrs. F. Helberg and is well-known in this valley. The young couple will take up their residence in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Agnew have returned to Sonoma after an absence of several months in San Francisco. Henry Gundlach visited his old home, Rhine Farm, Tuesday.

With the modified skirt and the modified sleeves, gowning for the Summer will be about as near perfection as it can be made or ever has been made since gowns began.

Miss Louisa Rufus has returned home after a week's visit with her sister in San Francisco. Dr. Osborne and his sister-in-law Mrs. Downing returned last Monday from a short business trip to the metropolis.

A pitcher of ice water laid on a newspaper, with the ends of the paper twisted together to exclude the air, will remain all night in any summer room with scarcely any perceptible melting of the ice. The Daughters of the Cross, a society of young ladies connected with the M. E. Church, will hold a picnic at Maxwell's Grove to-day, August 15th. It is needless to say that all who attend will have a good time.

Henry Hartin, proprietor of the Central Market, spent last Sunday in San Francisco. J. G. Marey visited the metropolis one day this week.

Nick Codiga, accompanied by his wife and baby, visited San Francisco friends last Sunday. Mrs. A. McHarvey returned to her home last Monday from the city.

The inside of the skin of a banana rubbed on the leather of tan shoes will clean and polish them as well as a regular dressing.

Mr. and Mrs. Glazier of San Francisco visited their daughter last Sunday. Miss Glazier is a student in the Sonoma Valley High School.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Small and children spent several days of the past week in San Francisco.

Miss Mamie Stevenot, formerly of this place, has been very ill at her home in San Francisco. The young lady has a severe attack of erysipelas.

Mrs. Robt. Poppe and her little daughter, Emily, are visiting in the metropolis.

Prussic acid is the most rapid of all poisons, killing like a stroke of lightning. A teaspoonful of 2 per cent prussic acid will kill. In a few seconds after the liquid is taken the face turns bluish and the person sinks to the floor.

Miss Claire Hope spent last Saturday and Sunday in the metropolis.

A violet perfume may be made easily by putting half an ounce of arrowroot, broken into small pieces, in a bottle with two ounces of alcohol. Cork tight and shake well. After it has been standing four or five days, a few drops placed on a handkerchief will leave the odor of fresh violets.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Craft of Sherman county, Oregon, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cooper at the Agnew farm last week. Mr. Craft was a delegate from Oregon to the Populist National Convention. They were on their return home and expressed themselves as highly delighted with Sonoma Valley, and hoped some day to make California their home.

Mose Powell was in town Friday. He will have his residence on Second-street, East painted and otherwise improved prior to occupying it with his family.

Judge Jas. Gibson of Glen Ellen was in town yesterday and paid this office a friendly visit.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

And Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Supervisor Thompson and Jesse Burris, Cashier of the Sonoma Valley Bank, left for Placer county one day this week and will be absent ten days. Their visit is one of business in connection with some mining property which Mr. Thompson worked many years ago.

Nick Ahern was a passenger for Sonoma on the north bound train last Sunday evening.

Chas. Lowell came up from the University Sunday to spend the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lowell.

Miss Maude Young entertained a party of young people at the home of her parents, Violet Dell, one evening last week in honor of her guests, Miss Lulu Hoppie, the well-known vocalist of Oakland, and Miss Dutton, a talented violinist of Boston, Mass. The evening was pleasantly spent in vocal and instrumental music.

Miss Reed Hutchinson is the guest this week of Miss Agnes Duhring.

Mrs. J. R. McDonald of Grayson, Stanislaus county, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. O. Campbell of this place.

Now is the time to prepare your pot-pourri for the coming winter. It is not necessary to confine yourself to rose petals alone. Leaves of the rose, geranium, mignonette, violet and lemon verbena may be added to the rose petals with the layers of fine salt and a few fragrant spices.

Miss Stevenson is the guest of her friend, Mrs. Henry Bates. Mrs. Brandt visited Petaluma Wednesday.

Miss Sadie Agnew, who has been confined to her home for the past week on account of sickness, is greatly improved and expects to resume her studies in the High School next Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Ross (nee Englebert) returned to their home in this place Thursday evening. Don't forget the Y. M. I. entertainment Tuesday evening.

The pretty home of Bailey Birdsall, located in one of the most picturesque spots in the Buena Vista Park, near Sonoma, was the scene of a pleasant gathering on last Thursday evening. The time was passed in singing and playing games. At an early hour ice cream and cake was served. The house was handsomely decorated with ferns, flowers and Chinese lanterns, from which a soft light glimmered, forming a picture which will linger long in the memory of those present.

Mrs. Douglas Church spent Thursday with Petaluma friends. Queen Victoria has officially denounced bloomers.

Grand Master Warboys of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of California will pay a fraternal visit to Sonoma Lodge, No. 28, this evening. Every Odd Fellow in the valley should be present.

John B. Skinner of San Francisco was in town last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. O. W. Gericke and children, who have been visiting relatives in Vallejo the past week, will return home to-morrow.

The Goto remedy has begun to show its efficacy on the lepers in the San Francisco pest house, and they are now filled with new hope and happiness over prospects of relief if not a positive cure.

Mrs. Weems, Miss Annie Pemberton, S. A. Ringstrom and Harry Shaw have returned from a week's camping trip to the Geysers.

Mrs. Wm. McCauley, formerly of this place but now a resident of San Francisco, has returned from an extended visit through the Eastern States.

SCHELLVILLE SIFTINGS

Chas. Ohm was a visitor to the metropolis this week.

Mr. Wood, a lumber merchant of San Rafael, will be the guest of Edwin Lord to-morrow, Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Ohm and Miss Mattie Goodman visited Sonoma friends last Wednesday.

Mrs. Stewart took Sunday's train for a short trip to the metropolis, returning to her home at Embarcadero Monday evening.

Mrs. Ashmore, after a short stay in San Francisco, has returned to the Edwin Lord ranch at Embarcadero.

TRILBY.

Schellville, August 7, 1896.

The meals to be had at the Sonoma House, now kept by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stein, are the best to be had in any hotel north of San Francisco.

Mrs. Fred'k T. Duhring spent the day last Thursday with San Francisco friends.

The Shakers are a Happy Community.

It is said, but the shaker who shakes because he can't help it is by no means a happy individual. So shakes the person troubled with chills and fever. The quivering and shuddering sensation is followed by no less a plague, namely, burning fever, which is followed by a perspiration bath that leaves the unhappy sufferer "as weak as a cat," a most unfortunate simile, by the way, as the cat, for its size, is a particularly muscular animal. Under the above circumstances every form requires its terrible ravages upon the system. Derangement of the liver always accompanies malarial disorder. To the relief of this complaint, as well as constipation and dyspepsia, the Bitters is admirably adapted. No less efficacious and thorough is it for kidney trouble, nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia. A wineglassful three times a day.

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Italian Shepherds.

As to their moral and intellectual characteristics, these vary not only according to their native district, but also according to their social station. Between the prosperous shepherds from the mountains of Pistoia, imbued with the proverbial courtesy of the Tuscan, speaking the purest Italian, acute, intelligent, fluent story teller, and often an extensive poetizer, down to the wretchedly poor, brutalized peasant from the Romagna, clad from head to foot in filthy sheepskins, and who, with difficulty, keeps body and soul together with the proceeds of his small flock of half starved sheep, whose only pasture is on the pathways and byways or furtively cropped from forbidden ground, between such two extremes the gradations are numberless, but notwithstanding certain traits of character are common to all. Common to all is the life they lead, solitary and wandering, now on the lonely heights of the Apennines, now on the still lonelier plains of the Maremma. They are hardly ever seen even in the larger villages, and it is only from some lofty hilltop that they have a distant glimpse of the towns, those modern Babels, on which they gaze with mixed feelings of curiosity and aversion.

Always alone, they necessarily become taciturn, and, therefore, meditative. Their life out of doors, without manual labor or fixed occupation, leads them to apply their minds to study the phenomena of nature, the habits of animals, the properties of plants or the course of the stars. The necessities of their nomadic existence teach them to apply this knowledge, and they become terrible poachers, clever veterinarians, tanners, herbalists, basket makers, stocking knitters, sometimes excellent joiners and shoemakers.—Good Words.

Hefting the Baby.

The fond mother who puts her infant on the penny slot weighing machine and cradles over its pounds of solid flesh only repeats the most ancient of customs, "hefting the baby." Thus Professor Chamberlain's remarks may furnish many valuable anthropometric data. Haberland has written a curious paper on the weighing of men in India, and how the fetters to some of their gods propitiated them by a gift, the weight of which exactly corresponds with the ponderosity of the supplicant. "Thou art weighed in a balance and found wanting" (Daniel) may have its origin in this custom. Critical examinations, curiously enough, were made in the past as to the stone used in prayer in Brittany when an ill man came to a certain shrine seeking a cure. He was weighed, so as to see whether he gained or lost flesh as the religious regimen under the priests was being carried out. Professor Chamberlain gives an Eskimo custom: When a man or a woman is sick, the nurse puts a stone under the patient's headrest. Then she weighs the stone in her hands daily, and if, supposing, the stone feels heavier, then the sick one will be cured. If the stone seems to be lighter, then there is no chance of recovery. It is doubtful whether an Italian woman having a child born in America would have a child to the trial of the balance. It would be deemed unlucky.—New York Times.

Sympathy.

The Boston Transcript says that a clergyman was recently the guest of a friend who was a college president. On Sunday morning he arose very early and went out to take a walk in the delightful air. Not a soul was stirring at first, but as the clergyman's steps led him toward the business portion of the village he noticed a seedy looking individual peering into various shady resorts in turn. He watched him with a mild curiosity, and apparently the other was not wholly oblivious of him and considered that the doctor of divinity was up for something. At last, after the two had proceeded all up and down the main street in semicompany, the shabby and bleary eyed man turned to the immaculate minister and remarked, with infinite sadness and pity in his tone: "That's no use, pard. All the places is closed up."

She Transferred.

"I want a transfer to the depot," said the lady with a feather in her bonnet. "Certainly, madam; which depot?" asked the conductor. "I want it to the depot," repeated the lady of the feather. "But I don't know which depot you mean," replied the conductor. "Never you mind what you know and what you don't know," snapped the woman; "you do as you are told. You give me a transfer, do you hear? Just you give me that transfer or I will report you." And the conductor gave it to her, while every one on the car hoped he had sent her to the wrong place.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Frightened Of.

Ballantine—Do you ride a wheel, Miss Brewster? Miss Brewster—No, sir. I am not in the show business, but perhaps when you say "wheel" you mean bicycle, which, as its name implies, is composed of two principal wheels. I do ride the bicycle, sir. May I ask if you ride? Ballantine—Yes, but you'll have to excuse me now. I want to go and buy a ticket to the night school.—Cleveland Leader.

Disproportioned Limbs.

By actual measurement of 50 skeletons the right arm and left leg have been found to be longer in 28, the left arm and right leg in 6, the limbs on the right longer than those on the left in 4 and in the remainder the inequality of the limbs was varied. Only 7 out of 70 skeletons measured, or 10 per cent, had limbs of equal length.

During the trial of a case the other day in England the judge took out his pipe and began smoking. If an American judge should do such a thing, the Saturday Review would see in it an evidence of American boorishness.

Pigeons Outwit a Hawk.

The Southern Sportsman told recently about a flock of pigeons that measured brains with a hawk and came out on top in the contest. H. S. Edwards owned a flock of pigeons which one day were out from their cote by a large hawk. The pigeons knew that if the hawk once got above them one at least of their number would go to make the hawk a meal, and so up they flew in circles, perhaps hoping to go higher than the hawk. In the rising game they were no match for the hawk. The latter kept under the pigeons and leisurely followed their laborious movements. Then came a curious and unexpected sight to Mr. Edwards. Every pigeon closed its wings, when they appeared to be the size of sparrows and down they came past the hawk at a terrific rate. That astonished the hawk. It actually dodged the dropping birds and missed half a dozen wing strokes before it got in full chase of them. When it got down to the barnyard, not a pigeon was in sight—some were in the cote, some in the porch, two in the wellhouse, and one was in the kitchen. The hawk had been outwitted completely. It is a question how the pigeons managed to check their fall, as they did not slacken up till they were about 16 or 20 feet above the ground, when they scattered in all directions to escape the hawk.

A Peculiar Cough.

At a recent meeting of one of the French societies a paper was read on what was diagnosed as a tonsillar cough. This cough is described as violent, spasmodic and painful. It was frequently accompanied by reflexes in the neighboring region, and particularly by a profuse watering of the eyes. All remedies ordinarily applied produced no effect whatever, and as there was no expectoration the origin of the cough has seemed obscure. The trouble, however, is explained by familiarity with the structure of the tonsils. Several sets of nerves center and blend at and near the outer surface of the tonsils, where they form what is described under the name of tonsillar plexus. The tonsils are connected by muscles with the apparatus of the larynx, a fact which makes treatment of the tonsils complicated and difficult. It is a common practice to cut off the tonsils, but this has been attended with very grave results. The hearing is sometimes affected by this arrangement and the larynx is necessarily involved. The best surgeons are at present very careful how they perform any surgical operation on the throat or tongue, as it is a fact past question that very few such operations are successful in the long run. There may be temporary relief, but it is almost invariably short lived.—New York Ledger.

Slag Tiles.

By means of an ingenious process invented by Marco Chapponi the manufacture of slag tiles from blast furnace slag is said to be successfully carried on at the smelting works of Concha, Peru, about ten miles from Santiago de Chile. The result obtained evidently realizes an important desideratum in this line. The slag and matte, according to this plan, are tapped from the blast furnace into a slag pot, and after settling a few moments, the slag is poured from ladles into molds. These are placed on a table which has a movable cover, and the mold being filled with slag, a cover is placed on them as well as on the hearth. A very slight heat is kept up, so that the slag is very slowly cooled, and when it appears black the molds are lifted from the hearth, and the slag tiles are dumped into cold water. Made in this manner, the slag tiles are light and portable, and, which laid, tough and durable. The slag carrying a considerable amount of iron is preferred. It is well known that under ordinary circumstances it is impossible to produce tiles of this class of suitable dimensions without extraordinary means for toughening.—New York Sun.

Mail Catchers.

"That man is a mail catcher," remarked a clerk at the city postoffice, "and one of a class who are in such a hurry for their letters that they cannot wait for them to be delivered in the regular way. They stand in line as every mail is being opened and want their letters immediately. As a rule they are a second rate kind of agents who have no office, and they are anxious about their letters for the reason that they expect fees or remuneration in some way. They come as regularly and as frequently as do the mails, and they say a word and demand, and they find that there is or is not something for them, only to come again at the next mail arrival."—Washington Star.

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Wearing Away of Coins.

Copper money wears away rapidly. In 100 years \$500 worth of pence would be worth only about \$250, while the same amount of sovereigns would lose only 3 1/2 per cent of their original value and \$500 worth of shillings, on the other hand, would be worn to the extent of some \$185. The less the value of coin, of course, the greater its wear and tear. A penny circulates at least 240 times as rapidly as a sovereign.

A Chance Meeting.

Stranger (on the road)—How would you go to get to Mr. Hill's residence? "I'd follow my nose!" snapped the woman with a bit of a pug. "Oh! It's up that way, is it?"—Yonker's Statesman.

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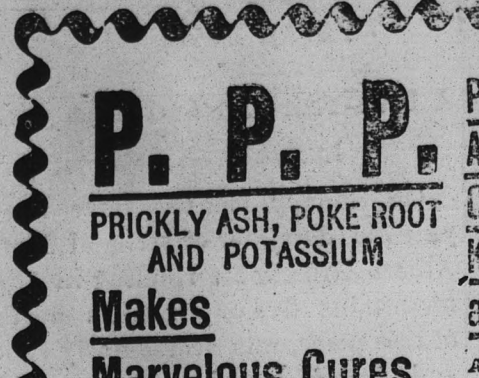
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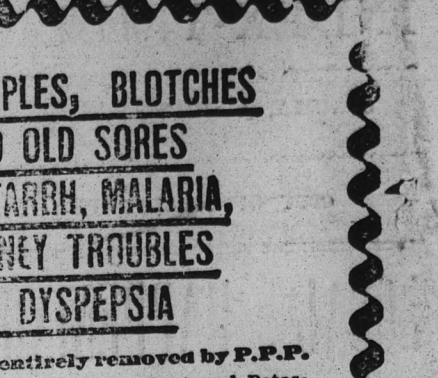
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